



THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 4033**  
Isao NAKATANI et al. : Docket No. 2001-1048A  
Serial No. 09/910,854 : Group Art Unit 1765  
Filed July 24, 2001 : Examiner L. Umez-Eronini

MASKING MATERIAL FOR DRY ETCHING:

**ADDITIONAL CLAIMS FEE TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED  
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application. Additional fees required as a result of this Amendment are calculated as follows:

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Total Claims exceeding 20 (not already paid for):	x	(\$ 9 = \$)	or	(\$18 = \$)
Indep. Claims exceeding 3 (not already paid for):	2 x	(\$43 = \$)	or	(\$86 = \$172)
<input type="checkbox"/> Multiple Dep. Claim(s) (if there previously were none):	+	(\$145 = \$)	or	(\$290 = \$)
Total Additional Fee =		\$	or	<u>\$172</u>

- ☐ Small entity status of this application is established by the verified statement under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 which
- ☐ is enclosed or
- ☐ has been previously submitted.

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Respectfully submitted,

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Responsive to the Office Action of January 22, 2004, the time for responding thereto being extended for one month in accordance with a Petition for Extension of Time submitted herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows: